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## THEIR TROUBLES

WHAT H. W. HULL WRITES ABOUT THE FARMERS PHONE.

## NEW MEMBERS CHOSEN

By President Wm. Mazingo, But Are Not Yet Ratified—A Meeting on February 21.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Farmers Telephone company, or at least those members who have not resigned, met Saturday afternoon. President Wm. Mazingo of the board appointed the following members to take the place of those who resigned: B. F. Tarpley, Jake Ashford, B. F. Dougan and B. C. Hall. In appointing these members, Mr. Mazingo said that he did not know whether they would serve. The board has not as yet ratified the appointments of the president. The members who resigned are J. V. Lynch, W. A. Burris, Mike McGettigan and Ernest Wray. The members on the board are Mr. Mazingo, Herman W. Hull and Mike Sherlock.

According to Mr. Hull there will be a meeting held at the court house on February 2, when some action will be taken in regard to the troubles of the phone company.

Herman W. Hull, one of the members of the board of directors of the Farmers Telephone company, issued the following statement Monday:

"At the annual meeting last March incorporation was voted down and new members of the executive board were elected who were in full sympathy with our present form of conducting the mutual telephone.

"Certain unavoidable improvements created a debt of over \$500, for which the old board of directors was held responsible. At that time and by such business methods the company's credit was at par. We could order any amount of supplies necessary and the goods would arrive in due time. For such faithfulness and loyal methods many criticized them and even condemned them. At the annual meeting an assessment of one dollar was ordered and made by the board after much delay and discussion, nearly all of which has been paid. Because of the change in the policy, the credit of the system has been reduced to zero and even worse, as the system cannot buy \$1 worth of supplies without sending the money, but has been published by their reporting systems so that our credit is dead and we are referred to in terms of ridicule.

"We have no legal standing, and as such cannot make a contract with the Bell company or even with the manager that binds more than the men who sign the contract. We have no long distance connection, which is a necessity for the system.

"What we want is an organization under the law, making all stands as a unit, clothed with such power as will give us the best service at the least cost. Business can only be done by employing business methods according to law.

"A meeting will be held in the court house on February 21 at 1 p. m., to take such steps as will be necessary to secure such ends. All persons who are in favor of incorporation or wishing to know something about it are requested to be present."

### Eggs by Parcel Post.

J. H. Wilson, the Atchison, Kan., poultry man, was a Parnell visitor Saturday afternoon. He shipped by parcel post from his town twenty egg cases to his brother, W. A. Wilson, Oxford, which carrier E. E. Yetter had to take out Monday morning. Ernest was equal to the occasion. The postage on each was 13 cents. Mr. Wilson left for his home Sunday noon. He had two cars of poultry out of here Saturday for New York.—Parnell Sentinel.

### Accompanied Family Home.

Dr. L. A. Allender of Atlantic, Ia., was a Maryville visitor Sunday at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Allender. He was accompanied home Monday morning by Mrs. Allender and their little son, who had been here since Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. William Wallis, Sr., and Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Allender.

### On Visit in Oklahoma.

Mrs. S. R. Beech left Monday morning on a three weeks' visit at Stillwater, Okla., with her father, Henry Burdick, who is 93 years old. She was joined at Atchison, Kan., by her sister, Mrs. Paul Vandervoort of Goff, Kan., who will be with her on their visit, that will include a visit with their sister, Mrs. H. D. Hamlin of Red Oak, Ia.

## RECEIVED STATE CUPS.

Maryville Poultry Men Have Fine Souvenirs of Recent Poultry Association Meeting in Maryville.

Judge J. H. Saylor and D. E. McDonald of Maryville received two handsome silver cups Monday morning from the Missouri experiment poultry station at Mountain Grove, Mo., the prizes won by them at the recent annual December meeting of the Northwest Missouri Poultry association held in Maryville in December. The cups are alike and are made in the form of an egg shell. They are gold lined, are eight inches in height and five inches through the largest part. The small end of the egg cup rests on three gracefully carved arms with handles, that unite and form the bottom of the cup. The jagged edge of the cup at the top, representing a broken egg, is quite pretty. Altogether it is the neatest, prettiest silver cup seen here for some time.

Judge Saylor received his cup for having the best pen of Buff Wyandottes in the show, a place he has held for three successive years and Mr. McDonald won his cup for having the best pen of any breed.

## AN EDUCATIONAL MEETING.

One to Be Held at Burlington Junction on February 7—Is the First One.

The first of a series of educational meetings to be held in Nodaway county will be the one to be held at Burlington Junction on February 7. Lincoln, Atchison, Nodaway and Green township teachers will take part in the meeting. The following is the program:

10:30—Round table, "Reading Circle;" Conductor, W. M. Oakerson. Essential Qualifications of the Teacher, Miss Edith Wallace.

The Teacher's Preparation of the Lesson, W. A. Wright.

The Pupil's Preparation of the Lesson, W. H. VanVickle.

Lesson Assignment, Miss Edith Henderson.

The School as a Factor in Character Building, Miss Edith Christy.

11:30—Illustrative Reading Lesson, Miss Phoebe Bramblett.

1:30—Music, Burlington Junction schools.

Invocation, Rev. Sappenfield.

Solo, Elmo school.

Exercise, Dawson school.

Recitation, Pleasant valley.

Exercise, Hagey.

Exercise, Hardesty.

2:00—Educational Value of Play, Superintendent D. V. Culp.

Importance of Proper Physical Conditions in School, John Davis.

An Open Conference by Patrons and Teachers. Subject, "School Needs," Conducted by W. M. Oakerson, Mrs. Naomi Horn, Mrs. Corken, O. F. Wilson.

3:10—Address, President Ira Richardson.

## Wins \$100 Prize.

At the corn show recently held at Whitesville, Frank Saunders of Rea, Andrew county, won first place and was awarded a premium of \$100.

The management of the Whitesville corn show also offered \$50 to the person winning second place. The awards are open to all comers. Mr. Saunders thus won against some of the oldest corn growers in the state, attracted by the amount of the awards.

## Sold Farm.

Maurice Egan, living six miles southwest of Clyde, in Grant township, concluded a sale last week of 160 acres of land, purchased from Mrs. Mary O'Donnell, at \$75 per acre. The land is known as the James O'Donnell farm, and joins Mr. Egan's farm. Mr. Egan now has 520 acres of the finest land in Nodaway county, with up-to-date improvements.—Clyde Times.

## His Brother Dead.

Clyde Avitt left Saturday evening for Chicago, called by the death of his brother, George Avitt. He was joined at St. Joseph by two brothers from Cameron, Harry and Dell Avitt. They had not heard their brother was ill and the news of his death was a great shock to them.

## Have a New Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Brummett, living west of Maryville, announce the birth of a son January 6.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart of Barnard were Maryville visitors over Sunday.

Ed Wray, who has been visiting relatives here for the past two months, left Saturday afternoon for his home, near Wray, Col. Mr. Wray will go home by the way of Valley Falls, Kan., where he will make a short visit at the home of his brother, John Wray.

## NOT MANY CASES

ON THE CRIMINAL DOCKET OF A SENSATIONAL NATURE.

## THREE FORGERY CASES

Authorities Did Not Know Whether There Would Be a Grand Jury as That Is Up to the Court.

The January term of circuit court will meet next Monday and the criminal docket will be called on Monday, January 26. There are no cases of a sensational nature to come up. There are three cases for forgery, two cases for carrying concealed weapons, and two cases for violating the local option laws.

The forgery cases are Fred Litten, W. E. Gunn, the young colored boy, and Vessie L. Walker.

There is a grand larceny charge against Alta Zanker, who was accused of stealing a diamond ring. Roy Zanker of Graham is charged with disturbing the peace, but as he is in trouble in St. Joseph, having been arrested for cashing a bogus check, his trial will probably not come up at this time.

Frank Sheldon will be tried for stealing chickens from George Loomis of Clyde if he can be found. He escaped from the county jail a week or so ago and has not been captured up to this time.

Then there is Fred Bagby, for carrying concealed weapons. He is a big black negro that was arrested at the Wabash depot. Jack James is also charged with carrying concealed weapons, having been arrested last week on this charge as he was attempting to shoot up a dance at the Doc Seals home.

Charley Kent, who has been in jail two months or so is charged with violating the local option laws. He is accused of selling liquor at the Barnard picnic.

The authorities would not say whether there would be a grand jury at this term. They said that they did not know as that matter was up to the court.

## TO FARMERS WEEK.

A Number of Maryville People to Attend—E. L. Andrews to Have Chickens on Display.

Many people from Maryville and Nodaway county will attend the farmers' week events at Columbia this week. Prof. John E. Cameron of the Normal, J. F. Roelofson and E. L. Andrews will leave Monday night. C. D. Bellows will also attend as he is a member of the state board of agriculture, which is meeting in that city this week. Mr. Roelofson is president of the Draft Horse Breeders' association and will attend their meeting, to be held in Columbia.

A pen of both Buff and White Orpingtons were sent to Columbia by E. L. Andrews for the poultry show to be held there this week.

## HOUSE CAUGHT FIRE.

Alarm at Residence of W. E. Davis of South Fillmore Brought Our Fire Company Sunday Night.

The residence of W. E. Davis, 315 South Fillmore street, caught fire Sunday night about 11 o'clock from a spark from the flue that ignited at one corner of the roof. A young man was passing the house and saw the fire and aroused the family, and at first it seemed there would be a bad fire. All the household goods were removed from the house. A place about eight feet square was burned through the roof into the attic. No further damage was done.

Mr. Davis and his family wish to express their gratitude to the department for the careful manner in which they handled the fire. The household effects were very little touched by water. They also appreciate the assistance the neighbors gave them, and thank them for their kindness and interest in their threatened loss.

## Little Girl Burned.

India Sheridan, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Sheridan, was badly scalded Sunday afternoon when a bottle of hot water was tipped over as she was stooping near the cook stove. Her back and shoulders were painfully burned.

Mrs. M. Carter and Mrs. A. E. Gilpin of Barnard visited St. Francis hospital Saturday with Mrs. Fred Pinkbinder, who is a patient there.

## SHOULD GO AHEAD

WITH THE WORK OF EXTENDING THE WATER MAINS NOW.

## SO SAYS REV. RANDOLPH

In Sermon Preached Last Night on Subject of "Poverty"—Congregation Favored It.

In a sermon preached Sunday evening by Rev. J. D. Randolph, pastor of the Buchanan Street Methodist church on "Poverty," he suggested that the board of public works should begin work this winter on the extension of the water mains, as it would give work to many men who are unemployed at this time. Rev. Randolph asked his congregation to vote on the matter of putting in the mains this winter. About 300 people stood up to show that they were in favor of the city doing the work as soon as possible.

The sermon was the first one of a course of sermons on social themes. Following the discourse a number of stereopticon views were shown illustrating the points made by the speaker. Rev. Randolph took for his text Pro. 10:15—"The Destruction of the poor is their poverty." The sermon in part was as follows:

"Poverty is the supreme challenge of the world to the twentieth century church. There is one question the church must answer. It is, why should there be want in the midst of plenty? Machinery has solved the problem of the production of both food and clothing in sufficient quantities for all and to spare. Yet want is world wide. There is only one primary problem in the United States, and that is poverty. There is only one primary problem in the world and that is poverty. All other problems are secondary, whether we call them political, moral or religious. Hunger and want; hunger and want. You can't scratch the surface of any question of the day but that these two things stare you in the face.

"Nothing could be more true than the text: 'The destruction of the poor is their poverty.' Poverty causes what the doctors call a 'vicious circle.' It runs like this: Poor food and unsanitary houses predispose to disease. Disease thrives on a weakened body. So death and poverty go hand in hand. Begin again. Poverty means poor food and unsanitary housing. These things predispose to immorality. Immorality and death go hand in hand. Here is the way the prophet Haggai describes the 'vicious circle': 'Ye sow much and bring in little. Ye eat but ye have not enough. Ye drink but ye are not filling with drink. Ye clothe but there is none warm; and he that earneth wages earneth wages to put in a bag with holes.'

"We are accustomed to think of our own country as being free from poverty, but look at the figures. Nine per cent of our population own 70.5 per cent of the wealth; 70.1 per cent of the population own 4.2 per cent of the national wealth. One-tenth of the male adults living north of the Mason and Dixon line and east of the Rockies receive under \$365 a year. One-half of the male adults of that section earn less than \$500 a year. Nine-tenths earn less than \$800 a year. Yet some people wonder why the poor don't save and become millionaires.

"One man in the United States has set an example in regard to the minimum wage. I refer to Mr. Ford of the Ford Automobile company. He pays the janitor for sweeping out \$5 a day, \$1,560 a year. I am glad we have a millionaire who is paying better wages instead of building libraries and endowing universities. The money of the Ford Automobile company is going back where it belongs—to the men who helped earn it.

"Is there a remedy for poverty? I think Mr. Ford has found a cure so far at least as his plant is concerned. It would help conditions greatly here in Maryville if the city would start work putting in the water mains. I have no disposition to find fault with

## TO-NIGHT=

### "THE LAST MINUTE"

Here's another of the "Arizona Bill" series, featuring Joe Hamman on horseback, he chased the bandits, who leap on a passenger train, jumps from his horse to the vestibule, carries the fight over the tops of coaches and finally dives from the locomotive into a river bed.

**A DEAL IN OIL**—A pretty romance of a rich young man who strikes oil.

**THE EMPIRE, Of Course**

## ANTI-TRUST LAW

BACKED BY ADMINISTRATION—BRINGING TRUSTS TO TIME.

## IS PROVING EFFECTIVE

Talk of Presidential Primaries by President—Law Two Years Ago Would Make Clark President.

(By W. C. Van Cleave.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Nothing has created quite so much comment during the holidays as the announcement that J. P. Morgan & Co. and other great financiers would withdraw from the directorates of numerous companies with which they have been connected. The understanding that a law would soon be passed by congress making interlocking directorates unlawful has had the effect of inducing the generals of finance to believe that there has been "a change in public sentiment."

The change in public sentiment, if there was ever need for any, took place several years ago. It was not this but the change of administration that brought the "men of big business" to their knees. Results are already sufficient to bear out the claims of Democratic statesmen for several years that an administration and a congress in sympathy with the Sherman anti-trust law would make it sufficient and effective. A few years ago J. Pierpont Morgan asked significantly if it was possible "to unscramble eggs." The answer comes from his own son in the positive evidence that the process of unscrambling has begun.

Having come to the conclusion that both the attorney general and congress are in earnest there has been a significant number of big institutions pleading for time and promising to come in out of the rain. The telegraph and telephone monopoly is one of the most important. The express companies could not curb their rapacious appetites, and now they have the parcels post to contend with. Its great success, coupled with the recommendation by the postmaster general for government operation of the telegraph made it possible for a new light to shine into the innermost recesses of that great trust. Others are following and eventually the people will have competitive opportunity restored to them.

Senator Stone, who was taken with a severe attack of la grippe in the closing days of the currency debate, is now out of danger and may be able to leave his hotel this week. The senator stuck to his post as long as possible and lay on a cot in the cloakroom when he could not sit in his seat and was in a serious condition after having to give up. His physician, however, announces that he is out of danger now, but may have to go south for a few weeks until his lungs heal sufficiently to stand the sudden climatic changes here.

Among Washington's visitors last week were Roy Curfman and daughter and Mrs. F. M. Petty of Maryville, and Rev. and Mrs. Joel Hayden of Baltimore. Mr. Curfman and Mrs. Petty had been visiting her daughter and son-in-law in Baltimore and the latter came this far with them on their return home.

Judge A. G. Harlan, for several years probate judge of Andrew county and a resident of Savannah, has recently been appointed dominion immigration agent by the Canadian authorities with headquarters at Harrisburg, Pa. Judge Harlan went to west Canada about fifteen years ago and apparently has not only prospered but has become an influential citizen under the British flag. The Canadian (Continued on Page 3)

LOST—Between North Dakota and Maryville, one commercial club secretary. Finder will be rewarded at Reuff's.

P. S.—See Ed Curfman or Fred Holl for description.

## Notice.

All parties holding protested warrants on county will present them for payment at my office. No interest will be allowed on and after January 20, 1914.

W. R. TILSON,  
County Treasurer, Maryville, Mo.

## THE WEATHER

Increasing cloudiness tonight and Tuesday; warmer.



## The EMPIRE THEATRE

SATURDAY EVENING, JANUARY 17th

SHEEHAN &amp; BECK, PRESENT THE PARISIAN MUSICAL COCKTAIL

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A Laughing, Whistling Success From Curtain to Curtain—"Before I Had The Measles—Cleo—"

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Seats on Sale Thursday

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10 cents per week.Largest Circulation in  
Nodaway CountyMiss Lenore Meacham of Bedford  
was shopping in the city Saturday.Miss Lora Livasy visited her mother,  
Mrs. Mary Livasy, in Pickering over  
Sunday.Mrs. Thomas Davis and Miss May  
Davis were shopping in Maryville Sat-  
urday.Mrs. Frank Bolin went to Arkoe Fri-  
day evening to visit her sister, Mrs. E.  
J. Bolin.Mrs. G. Wieser of Bedford, who has  
been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. C.  
Risser, returned home Saturday.Mrs. Fay Campbell and Misses Ber-  
tha, Chloe and Edith Campbell of Barn-  
ard were in Maryville Saturday.Mr. and Mrs. Harry Culbertson of  
Arkoe were in town on business Sat-  
urday.Mrs. C. J. Alderman went to Savan-  
nah Saturday evening to visit her sis-  
ter, Mrs. T. C. Cooper.Miss Lillian Baldwin of Bolekow  
and Miss Mary Gage of Morris, Okla.,  
were among Maryville visitors Sat-  
urday.Mrs. Ned Phillips of St. Joseph re-  
turned home Saturday evening from a  
visit with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ned  
Phillips. She was accompanied home  
by Mrs. Hardisty for a week's visit.Miss Verna Kennedy went to Bole-  
kow Saturday for a week-end visit with  
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Ken-  
nedy. She was accompanied by Miss  
Pearl Jackson, who was her guest over  
Sunday.Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Smith and Mrs.  
Sam Schneider of Arkoe were in  
Maryville Friday and Saturday on ac-  
count of the illness of Mrs. Will S.  
Rogers. The sick woman is the grand-  
mother of Mrs. Schneider and sister of  
Mr. Smith.News of Society  
and Womens' Clubs

## Annual Chafing Dish Supper.

The Young People's club of the First  
Presbyterian church will hold its an-  
nual chafing dish supper Friday even-  
ing at the church, beginning at 5:30  
o'clock.

## Guests From Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass enter-  
tained at dinner Sunday Mrs. Snod-  
grass' parents, Captain and Mrs. James  
Ewing of Hopkins. The Captain and  
his wife are getting much enjoyment  
from life at the age of 82 and 87 re-  
spectively. They expect to celebrate  
their sixty-second wedding anniver-  
sary in February.

## Reception for Her Daughter.

A social note in a Denver, Col., pa-  
per of Saturday reads: "One of the  
largest and handsomest affairs of the  
season will be the reception which  
Mrs. Henry Bohm will give at El Jebel  
temple, Friday afternoon, January 16,  
in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Ferdin-  
and M. Townsend of Maryville, Mo.,  
who is here for a few weeks' visit. Mrs.  
Townsend, as Miss Lillian Bohm, was  
one of the most popular young women  
in Denver social life, and her friends  
are delighted at the opportunity of  
welcoming her again."

## Sang at Afternoon Concert.

Rev. Gilbert S. Cox went to St. Jo-  
seph Monday morning to sing Monday  
afternoon at the meeting of the Fort-  
nightly Musical club at the Robidoux  
hotel Monday afternoon. He was ac-  
companied by Miss Lucile Airy, who  
was his pianist. They went to Savan-  
nah Monday evening to take part in a  
concert at the M. E. church, accom-  
panied by Mr. Adolph Bock, who had a  
part on the program. The program at  
the Robidoux Monday afternoon was  
arranged by Mrs. L. O. Weakley and  
Mrs. Milton Tootle. Mr. Bock made  
his farewell appearance in St. Joseph  
at this time.

## A Surprise Party.

A surprise party was given Wednes-  
day night to Mr. and Mrs. Dana Car-  
penter of Pickering, before moving to  
their new home in Burlington Junc-  
tion. At a late hour oysters, peaches  
and cake were served. Those present  
were Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Harvey,  
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sharr, Mr. and Mrs.  
Bart Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. George  
David, Mrs. Amanda Pistole, Mr. and  
Mrs. Frank Maxon, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl  
Runnels, Mr. Frank Morin, Mina Louis  
Harvey, Grace Sharr, Maggie Shan-  
non, Florence and Doris David, Harold  
Harvey, Earl Ernest and Wilbur Sharr,  
Leland David, George Morin, Charley  
and Velma Carpenter.

## Program of Shakespearean Music.

The Shakespearean department of  
the Twentieth Century club will holdits meeting Tuesday afternoon at the  
home of Mrs. D. J. Thomas. The mem-  
bers of all the departments are invited  
to be present. The program will con-  
sist of Shakespearean music in the fol-  
lowing numbers.Overture from Romeo and Juliette,  
Bellini—Miss Lucile Airy and Miss An-  
nic Ingerson.Shakespeare in Music—Mrs. Frank  
Shoemaker.Vocal solos, The Tempest, DeKoven;  
Where the Bee Sucks; Twelfth Night,  
S. Coleridge Taylor; Oh, Mistress  
Mine—Mrs. Herbert L. Raines.Piano solo, Waltz Song, Romeo and  
Juliette, Gounod—Miss Eleanor Smith.

Part two:

Vocal solos, Cymbeline, Schubert;  
Hark, Hark, the Lark; She Never Told  
Her Love, Twelfth Night, Haydn;  
Tell Me, Where is Fancy Bred? Mer-  
chant of Venice, DeKoven—Mrs. D. J.  
Thomas.Why is the Study of Shakespeare  
Worth While?—Mrs. M. J. Honnold.Vocal solos, As You Like It; The  
Lass With the Delicate Air, Arne;  
Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind—Miss  
May Corwin.Piano solo, Midsummer Night's  
Dream; Nocturne, Mendelssohn—Mrs.  
T. L. Wilderman.

## Large Party at Elks Club.

One hundred and fifty guests were  
entertained at the Elks club Saturday  
afternoon at the party given by Mrs.  
Charles S. Jackson, Miss Elise Jack-  
son, Mrs. Fayette Bellows and Miss  
Maud Balmum. The guests were re-  
ceived by Mrs. James B. Robinson and  
Mrs. George L. Willey, assisted by  
Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. Paul Ream of  
Kansas City, Mrs. Vilas Martin, Mrs.  
M. Nusbaum, Mrs. Luther Forsyth,  
Mrs. F. W. Crow, Mrs. N. C. Covey,  
Mrs. E. H. Balmum and Miss Della  
Grems. The ladies receiving upstairs  
were Mrs. J. F. Colby and Mrs. J. A.  
Ford. Punch was served in the hall  
by Mrs. Dale Bellows and Mrs. Glade  
Bradley, assisted by Miss Marie Brink,  
Miss Brownie Toel, Miss Rena Sturm,  
Miss Kitty Grems and Miss Dorothy  
Pierce. Potted plants and ferns, with  
smilax, made a lovely setting for the  
punch table and the serving ladies.  
The guests were directed to the hall  
room where tally cards were given  
them for cards and dominoes by Mrs.  
George P. Bellows and Mrs. Charles  
D. Bellows, and were ushered to their  
places by Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Miss  
Clara Sturm, Miss Cecile Benight and  
Miss Anna Balmum. There were two  
out-of-town guests, Mrs. M. C. Tausey  
of Anderson, Ind., who is visiting her  
sister, Mrs. G. H. Colbert, and Mrs.  
Paul Ream of Kansas City, the guest  
of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Colby. The  
prize at cards went to Mrs. Halcyon T.  
Hooker, and the one at dominoes to  
Mrs. C. D. Leffler. Both prizes were  
corsage bouquets of roses. A three-  
piece orchestra, composed of Mr. Glenn  
Goff, Mr. W. Lee Griffin and Mr. T. B.  
Maulding, gave delightful music con-  
tinuously. Miss Mildred Bellows,  
Miss Marie Wright, Miss Mary Louise  
Andrews and Miss Nellie Hutton served  
the hostesses by punching the tally  
cards.

## To Be Wed St. Valentine's Day.

The reception and informal after-  
noon given Saturday from 2 to 5 o'clock  
by Miss Minta Howden and Miss Babe  
Howden of Skidmore was quite a sur-  
prise to the guests, as the  
coming marriage of one of the  
hostesses was announced. After the  
arrival of the company Mrs. Rolla  
Howden appeared at the door  
with a telegram for one of the guests,  
Miss Edith Porter. With ill-cooaled  
alarm she opened the telegram, and  
when a look of relief, followed by a  
happy smile, came over her face, she  
was asked what the message con-  
tained, and, as surprised as anyone  
else present, she said: "Mr. and Mrs.  
William M. Howden announce the ap-  
proaching marriage of their daughter,  
Emma (Babe), to Walter Garrett of  
Clearmont. The wedding will be Feb-  
ruary 14, 1914." Mr. Garrett is the  
young lumberman at Clearmont. A  
luncheon and informal social time fol-  
lowed. Miss Howden is quite wellknown socially in Maryville. She has  
frequently been the guest of Maryville  
friends on special occasions, and of  
the Young Ladies' Bridge club, after  
her studies at the Maryville high  
school closed. Those bidden to the an-  
nouncement party were Misses Edith  
Porter, Alta Barrett, Mary Ashbrook,  
Susie Ashbrook, Susie Saunders, Bess  
Worl, Florence Jordan, Carrie Torrey,  
Bernice Walker, Dora Albright, Myr-  
tie Ward, Maud and Helen Hutt, Elma  
Rodman, Anna Linville, Fannie Gallo-  
way, Mrs. J. W. Weddle, Jr., Mrs. Earl  
Case, Mrs. Frank Albright, Mrs. H. W.  
Manning, Mrs. Fred Williams, Mrs. J.  
W. Worl, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Mrs.  
Mervin Gray, Mrs. Anna Campbell,  
Mrs. Ray Strickler, Mrs. J. C. Polley,  
Mrs. Jesse Patton, Mrs. A. J. Wells,  
Mrs. John Barber, Mrs. J. E. Pierpoint,  
Mrs. Dr. Baker of Maitland, Miss Hazel  
Cawood of Maitland.

## Missionary Tea.

The ladies of the First Baptist  
church will give a missionary tea  
Thursday afternoon at the home of  
Mrs. E. L. Harrington.

## WILL BE GUEST OF FARMERS.

State Executive to Attend Farmers'  
Week Banquet at the Univer-  
sity of Missouri.Governor Elliott W. Major will at-  
tend the eighth annual farmers' ban-  
quet to be held during farmers' week  
at the University of Missouri. Mem-  
bers of the state boards of agriculture  
and horticulture and representatives  
from twelve other associations will be  
present.The menu will be provided from the  
products of the college farm."It will be an old-fashioned roast  
dinner," said Dean F. B. Mumford.The banquet will be held at the  
Commons, the university dining hall.  
Members of the different state asso-  
ciations meeting in Columbia during  
the week will be invited to attend.  
Plates will be set for 500.Note our Grocery  
Prices forTuesday and Wednesday  
Every one a record breakerTOWNSEND'S  
Fourth and Main6 lbs Fine Granulated Sugar (with  
your order) for.....25c  
Best Quality Macaroni, lb.....5c  
10c cartons Log Cabin Salt, free run-  
ning, 2 for 15c; 4 for.....25c  
Pint cans Log Cabin Maple Syrup, 20c  
Early Ohio Potatoes, Nebraska grown,  
bushel.....85c  
10 lbs choice quality Japan Rice,  
whole grain.....45c  
Fresh Nuts, Pecans, Filberts or Bra-  
zils, lb.....15c  
Best Brick Cheese, lb.....25c  
Pure Cider Vinegar, 35c quality, per  
gallon.....25c  
25c fine Lean Bacon, 4 to 8 lbs, per  
pound.....20c  
35c Morrell's Iowa Pride, finest Break-  
fast Bacon, per lb.....29c  
10c jars best Horseradish, Prepared  
Mustard, pure Jelly, Apple Butter,  
Peanut Butter, and Plain or Stuffed  
Olives, 2 for.....15c  
Deviled, Pimento Flavored and Thistle  
Cheese, each.....10c  
Glass jars best Apple Butter, 15c and  
25c sizes, each.....10c and 20c  
Quart cans, new goods, best quality  
Hominy, Sour Kraut, Pumpkin,  
Boiled Cabbage or Beets, in any  
quantity desired, at 2 cans for.....15c  
Size No. 2 cans new goods, A1 quality  
String Beans, Pork and Beans, To-  
matoes, Sugar Corn, Red Kidney  
Beans, in any quantity, at 4 cans  
for.....25c  
10c dozen for best Dill Pickles.  
15c lb for Morrell's Nelson Brand Ba-  
con.  
Libby's 25c Soups, in quart sanitary  
cans, for.....15c  
FOUR DELIVERIES DAILY.Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co.  
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.Upon request, customers having charge accounts  
may have merchandise purchased during the Jan-  
uary Clearance Sale placed on bills presented  
March First.

## Coats, Suits and Dresses at \$3.45

A Special Lot at a Special Price

During the Clearance Sale we make strenuous ef-  
forts to reduce stocks to a minimum. This lot of  
Coats, Suits and dresses, which we offer as an ex-  
ceptional bargain, is composed of the odds and  
ends of the Suit Section.

To avoid invoicing them we place on sale today—

19 Coats worth up to \$20.00  
6 Suits worth up to \$25.00  
10 Dresses worth up to \$20.00The materials are of an excellent quality, and  
every garment is well tailored. The Styles are  
not the latest—that is the only reason for the  
present prices, otherwise they will compare favor-  
ably with any we have in stock.We have never failed to dispose of similar lots in  
record time; often the demand has exceeded the  
supply—if you are interested in this lot, shop early!  
On sale beginning today, and at this \$3.45  
price as long as they last.

## Make Fur Trimming From These Fur Pieces 95c

A Clean-Up of the Fur Section at \$1.95 and

The present vogue for fur trimming on hats and  
dresses suggests a use for these odd fur pieces.  
While arranging the fur stock for the Clearance  
Sale we selected this small lot for immediate  
Clearance.The furs included are Coney, Si-  
berian Squirrel, Imitation Ermine,  
River Mink, Martin and Fox.These furs are first quality and were bought of  
some of our best furriers but newer styles have  
displaced them, consequently instead of being sold  
for from \$4.50 to \$7.50, we have divided 95c  
them into two lots; choice for \$1.95 and  
Both lots are limited and we cannot guarantee  
that they will last throughout the Clearance Sale

## Skirts For Less Than Half \$3.50

Formerly Priced as High as \$7.50

Materials are panamas, serges and voiles and the  
skirts are priced during the Clearance Sale for  
less than the actual cost of the materials because  
of deficient styles.The fabrics are the very best quality and they  
are well tailored. Choice during the Clearance Sale \$3.50

## 75c Ice Skates, Special For 39c

At the regular price we consider these skates a  
bargain. Rather than invoice them we have re-  
duced the price so low that every youngster can  
be outfitted for the ice.Stamped from one piece of metal to give strength  
with flat racer type blades of hardest steel.  
Regular price 75c; now reduced to.....39c

## FERN SPECIALS

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

Tonight—Warner's features present Miss Gene Gauntier, the  
popular Kansas City actress, "In the Clutches of the Ku Klux  
Klan" in three reels. "The Mysterious Man" in two reels.  
All seats 10c.Tuesday—"Death and Resurrection" or from Pope to  
Pope in two reels with regular program. This is a perfect and  
reverent fac-simile reproduction of the death of Pope Leo XIII, and  
the events which attended the election of his holiness Pope Pius  
X. All seats will be 10c.Wednesday—"Caste" in two reels by Edison, from the  
famous comedy by Tom Robertson and one good comedy.Two shows Monday and Tuesday, 7-8:30. Wednesday 7-8:10  
9:15.



# D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

OUR Half Price Sale on all Ladies' Misses' and Children's Coats, Furs and Sweaters will continue all this week. We will soon take our Inventory, and we desire to reduce our stock as low as possible by that time. Our present stock of Coats include the following prices:

## LADIES' COATS

\$ 8.00 Coats for.....	\$ 4.00
\$10.00 Coats for.....	\$ 5.00
\$15.00 Coats for.....	\$ 7.50
\$18.50 Coats for.....	\$ 9.25
\$20.00 Coats for.....	\$10.00

\$22.00 Coats for.....	\$11.00
\$22.50 Coats for.....	\$11.25
\$25.00 Coats for.....	\$12.50
\$28.50 Coats for.....	\$14.25
\$30.00 Coats for.....	\$15.00
\$35.00 Coats for.....	\$17.50

## Infants' Coats

The price range is from \$2.00 to \$8.00. These all go at **Half Price**.

## Misses' and Junior Coats

A good range of prices and styles to choose from. These all go at **Half Price**.

FLEECE DRESSING SACQUES.		\$18.50 Coats .....	13.50
1.00 values .....	.65c	\$17.50 Coats .....	\$12.50
90c values .....	.32c	\$15.00 Coats .....	\$10.00
RAINCOATS		\$12.50 Coats .....	\$9.00
20.00 Coats .....	\$15.00	\$10.00 Coats .....	\$7.50

## LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S DRESSES REDUCED

\$25.00 Dresses for.....	\$17.50	\$12.50 Dresses for.....	\$7.50	\$5.00 Dresses for.....	\$3.50
\$20.00 Dresses for.....	\$14.00	\$10.00 Dresses for.....	\$6.50	\$4.50 Dresses for.....	\$3.00
\$18.50 Dresses for.....	\$12.00	\$8.50 Dresses for.....	\$5.00	\$4.00 Dresses for.....	\$2.50
\$17.50 Dresses for.....	\$11.50	\$7.50 Dresses for.....	\$4.50	\$3.50 Dresses for.....	\$2.25
\$16.50 and \$15.00 Dresses for.....	\$10.00	\$6.50 Dresses for.....	\$4.00	\$3.00 Dresses for.....	\$2.00

## PULLMAN SLIPPERS.

\$1.50 grade.....	\$1.00
\$1.00 grade.....	75c

## KNITTED MUFLERS.

50c values for.....	35c
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## LADIES' KID GLOVES.

16-button lengths, \$3.50 values.....	\$2.75
16-button lengths, \$3.00 values.....	\$2.35
Short Kid Gloves, \$1.50 values.....	\$1.32
Short Kid Gloves, \$1.15 values.....	90c

## SILK GLOVES.

16-button lengths, \$1.50 values.....	\$1.25
16-button lengths, \$1.00 values.....	85c
Ladies' Golf Gloves, 50c value.....	35c

Ladies' Reindeer Finish Gloves, \$1.00 value.....	65c
Ladies' Fabric Gloves, unlined and silk lined, 50c value.....	35c
Children's 25c Mittens for.....	20c

DO NOT FORGET THAT OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF FURS ARE HALF PRICE

## Our Staple Department Offers Exceptional Values

All Comforts reduced ONE-FOURTH.	42-inch Pillow Tubings.....	15c
Eden Cloths, 15c value for.....	36-inch Pillow Tubings.....	13c
10-4 Bleached Sheetings.....	12½c Outing Flannels.....	10c
9-4 Bleached Sheetings.....	10c Outing Flannels.....	8c
10-4 Unbleached Sheetings.....	3-lb Cotton Batts, worth 85c, for.....	72c
9-4 Unbleached Sheetings.....	Silkolines, 36 inches wide.....	11c
45-inch Pillow Tubings.....		16c

## All Winter Underwear will sell at the following Prices

\$3.00 values for.....	\$2.40	70c values for.....	55c
\$2.50 values for.....	\$2.00	65c values for.....	50c
\$2.00 values for.....	\$1.60	60c values for.....	45c
\$1.50 values for.....	\$1.20	50c values for.....	40c
\$1.25 values for.....	\$1.00	40c values for.....	32c
\$1.00 values for.....	85c	35c values for.....	25c
85c values for.....	60c	25c values for.....	19c
75c values for.....	50c		

Owing to the extremely low prices we are quoting in this advertisement all goods sold at these prices will be strictly cash.

## Ladies' Leather Bags-Mesh Purses and Vanities

\$5.50 values.....	\$4.98	\$2.50 values.....	\$1.70
\$5.00 values.....	\$3.98	\$2.00 values.....	\$1.50
\$4.50 values.....	\$3.50	\$1.50 values.....	\$1.20
\$4.00 values.....	\$2.98	\$1.25 values.....	\$1.05
\$3.50 values.....	\$2.50	\$1.00 values.....	84c
\$3.00 values.....	\$1.95	50c values.....	25c
		25c values.....	15c

All Ladies  
Neckwear  
Reduced  
ONE  
FOURTH

Men's and Boys' winter underwear we desire to close out. Please take note of the above prices. They apply to Men's and Boys' Garments as well as Ladies' and Children's.

## ANTI-TRUST LAW

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government looks with great favor on the acquisition of good American citizens and is putting forth every effort to induce them to locate in that country. And, it may be remarked, too, that their efforts have been highly successful in recent years.

The matter of presidential primaries is being discussed to some extent by members of both the house and senate. Whether the president will insist on such a law at this session is as yet unknown. Many think it well to think over the matter awhile for, while it is good in theory and involves the idea of carrying the question of presidential nominees direct to the people, yet it is open to some material objections. Ex-Governor Polk made

## "BOOKS"

Below is a list of a few of the new books to be found on our shelves:

The White Shield, by Myrtle Reed,	\$1.50
Richard Carvel, by Winston Churchill	50c
The Marshal, by Mary R. S. Andrews	\$1.35
Captain Becky's Masquerade, by M. L. Sanderson	50c
The Fate of a Crown, by Staunton,	50c
Pilgrims of the Plains, by Aplington	\$1.25
The Twins of Suffering Creek, by Ridgewell Cullum	\$1.25
The Career of Doctor Weaver, by Mrs. Henry Backus	\$1.00
The Prodigal Judge, by Vaughan Kester	50c
Annie Laurie and Azalea, by Beattie	75c
Games and Parties, by Carolyn Bailey	65c

Hotchkin's Variety Store

an address before a club here yesterday in which he warmly advocated the provision for presidential primaries by the individual states. Representative Rucker of the second Missouri district is also understood to be drawing up a bill that will reflect the views of the administration.

The whole course of legislation within the last few years has been to make campaigns for office really more expensive, and it is an open question if, to carry the matter any further, it will not defeat the very end to be sought—that of giving to every man a fair show. State campaigns are expensive for any office and the results of recent campaigns show that large amounts of money have been necessarily spent in getting the merits of the different candidates before the people and in getting out the vote. To go into every state and conduct a statewide campaign would involve more expense than the average statesman ever accumulates in a lifetime. Somebody would have to foot the bills, and raising large amounts by public contributions is slow business.

Then, again, the tendency of recent years is to continually center more power in the general government and limit the exercise of powers by the states conceded in early times to be long exclusively to the states. Those who believe that the states should be supreme in every right originally guaranteed by the constitution and that these rights should not be invaded by constitutional amendments nor federal law, declare that whenever any state decides to express its preferences by state primary, they will heartily endorse it, but they do not look with favor on the idea of any further federal control. However it may terminate, it is certain to invoke a long discussion and possibly delay the early adjournment of congress so much desired by members of both houses.

While the presidential primary idea

is being advanced by the president it is perhaps a peculiar fact that, with such a law on the books two years ago, Mr. Wilson would not now be president. As between him and Speaker Clark, Mr. Clark had a clear majority of the Baltimore convention and most of his delegates were won by state primaries.

On the other hand, it is quite likely that with a general primary provided for in advance, Mr. Bryan would have gotten into the race and he would undoubtedly, with his large acquaintance, have captured more delegates than the president. Then again, with a general compulsory primary law, the Republican nominee would most likely have been Theodore Roosevelt and not Mr. Taft, and in that case, it is doubtful if there would have been any serious split in the Republican party. Mr. Wilson was elected and is making good and, if he continues to win public admiration as he has done so far, there is little doubt that he can secure a second nomination, if he desires it, by either the primary or convention method, but as to whether there would have been a Democratic president today if there had been a compulsory primary law in 1912, is quite another question.

Misses Lottie and Benlah Kidd of Bedison were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

## Cold in Head

Relieved in one minute. Money back if it fails. Get a 25c or 50c tube of

## KONDON'S Catarrhal Jelly

Use it quick. For chronic nasal catarrh, dry catarrh, sore nose, coughs, sneezing, nose bleed, etc. Write for free sample. The first drop used will do good. Ask druggists.

Kondon Mfg. Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Mrs. T. B. Neal of Troy, Kan., returned home Saturday evening from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Vern Wray.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

March 1st  
H. T. Crane  
Will Occupy the Room  
First Door South of  
Montgomery Shoe Store

Let Us Settle Your  
Family Wash  
Trouble  
AT  
6 Cents  
PER POUND

We are helping many  
Why not let us help  
you? Flat pieces nicely  
ironed.

Call and See or Ask  
Us About It.....

Maryville Laundry

## PRICE CUTTING SALE

TO QUIT BUSINESS

Commencing Wednesday, Jan. 14

Our Entire Stock of Groceries, Dry  
Goods and Notions for CASH only

We are quitting business in Maryville and in order to close out quickly, will cut the prices on everything.

This stock is new and clean—no shelf worn goods.

Notice to Creditors: You will please call and settle your account by cash or bankable note by February 1.

Don't Miss this Opportunity to Save Money.

## Childress Department Store

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. CHICAGO.	Hogs—9,000. Market steady; top, \$8.20.
Cattle—29,000. Market 10c lower.	Sheep—13,000. Market steady.
Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.	
Hogs—48,000. Market dull; top, \$8.40.	ST. JOSEPH.
Estimate tomorrow, 3,400.	Cattle—6,200. Market steady.
Sheep—40,000. Market 10c lower.	Hogs—5,000. Market steady; top, \$8.20.
KANSAS CITY.	Sheep—3,000.
Cattle—12,000. Market Steady.	



## REDUCTION SALE

20% DISCOUNT on All Suits  
FOR FIFTEEN DAYSDIETZ AND KECK  
Up-To-Date TailorsJ. O. BOLIN  
AUCTIONEER

Office with R. S. Braniger, the seed and feed man, east side of square. All phones. Phone me for terms and dates at my expense. All business cheerfully attended to. Or can see W. F. Bolin for terms and dates.

Your Sales Wanted  
NUFF SAIDL. E. DEAN, M. D.  
SURGERY.

Internal medicine. Consultation and calls answered promptly. Office over Brink's grocery.

## Collins &amp; Williams

All kinds of harness repaired and oiled. See us for prices on new harness. Satisfaction Guaranteed. ARKOE, MISSOURI

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass went to St. Joseph Monday morning to visit Mrs. Snodgrass' sister, Mrs. S. E. Wible.

## F. R. ANTHONY, M. D.

Specialist.  
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.  
Office hours 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.

## K. C. CUMMINS, M. D.

SURGERY AND GENERAL PRACTICE  
Office over First National bank  
Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

INDIGESTION ENDED,  
STOMACH FEELS FINE

Time "Pape's Diapepsin!" In Five Minutes All Sourness, Gas, Heartburn and Dyspepsia Is Gone.

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the food you eat ferments into gases and stubborn lumps; your head aches and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the magic in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes all stomach misery vanish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous revolt—if you can't get it regulated, please, for your sake, try Pape's Diapepsin. It's so needless to have a bad stomach—make your next meal a favorite food meal, then take a little Diapepsin. There will not be any distress—eat without fear. It's because Pape's Diapepsin "really does" regulate weak, out-of-order stomachs that gives it its millions of sales annually.

Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest stomach relief and cure known. It acts almost like magic—it is a scientific, harmless and pleasant stomach preparation which truly belongs in every home.—Advertisement.

## At the Fern All This Week.

Monday—Warner's feature in three reels, The Mysterious Man, To Love and to Cherish.

Tuesday—Death and Resurrection, or From Pope to Pope, a perfect and reverent fac simile reproduction of the death of Pope Leo XIII, and the events which attended the election of his holiness Pope Pius X, with our regular program; Women, drama; His Lordship Billy Smoke, comedy, and The Merrill Murder Mystery, drama. All seats 10 cents.

Wednesday—Caste, in two reels, by Edison, from the famous comedy by Tom Robertson, and one other reel.

Thursday—The Baby and the Burglar, drama by Kalem; The Tolls of Deception, drama by Selig, and one good comedy.

Friday—The Lost Millionaire, in two reels by Vitagraph company, with Anita Stewart, Mary Maurice, E. K. Lincoln, Tefft Johnson, Charles Kent, Frank Mason and Anders Randolph. Pathe Weekly, No. 68.

Saturday—John Tobin's Sweetheart, with John Bunny and Flora Finch, a comedy that will make you laugh good and plenty; Adopted Brother, a good drama, Biograph; His Conscience, drama by Lubin.

## RUN-DOWN FOR YEARS.

## Strength Restored by Vinol.

Strength and even life itself depends upon nourishment and proper assimilation of food, and unless digestion is good the whole body suffers.

Mrs. C. W. Busby of Moundsville, W. Va., says: "For years I was in a weakened, run-down condition, and I could not find anything that would help me. Vinol was recommended and I tried it. Before I finished the first bottle I was better. I continued its use and am as well as ever. I have gotten several neighbors to take Vinol with the same result."

We know the great power of Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic without oil, in building up all weakened, run-down persons, and for chronic coughs, colds and pulmonary trouble, and that is why we guarantee to return your money if it does not help you.—Orean-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

## D. A. A. Leader Is Dead.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 12.—Mrs. John R. Walker, honorary vice president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, died at her home here of heart disease. She had been ill for a year. Mrs. Walker was an influential member in national Daughters of the American Revolution.

Girl Found Guilty of Manslaughter. Concordia, Kan., Jan. 12.—Bessie Moore, who shot and killed her sweetheart, Joseph Kelly, Oct. 16, last, was found guilty of manslaughter in the third degree here. Miss Moore, who is nineteen years old, alleged that Kelly wronged her.

## Federalists Offer Becker a Berth.

Wichita, Jan. 12.—Beals Becker, outfielder for the Philadelphia National league team, said here that he had been offered and had under consideration a three years' contract with the Baltimore club of the Federal league.

## For Sale—A Well Improved Farm

An 80-acre farm, one mile south of Maryville on the state road, 30 acres in wheat and timothy, 25 acres in pasture and meadow; orchard and small fruit. Can be bought for small payment down, balance five years time at 5 per cent, optional payments, if sold in the next thirty days.

Drs. Nash and Ryan

CHAS. E. STILWELL  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR  
AT LAW

Office over Maryville National bank  
Maryville, Mo.

## Real Estate

We have 80 acres, 4½ miles from Maryville that can be bought for \$80 per acre.

130 acres, 7 miles out; can buy this farm for \$105 per acre.

160 acres, 6½ miles out; can buy this for \$90 per acre. Lays good.

172 acres, 3¼ miles from Barnard, first and second bottom. Price \$85 per acre.

We have some well improved farms in close to town we would show you if you wish to be closer to Maryville.

If you want residence property we have some good bargains on our list. Among these is the H. K. Taylor property at Fourth and Dunn.

## Canada.

We are agents for Canada land and are in a position to give information regarding prices and location.

We have land ranging from \$12 to \$25 an acre, with small payments down and easy terms on balance. A wonderful chance for men with limited capital to get a home and be independent.

We have attractive rates to explain to anyone wishing to see these productive farm lands.

## Life Insurance.

We have the district agency for the Equitable Life Insurance company of Iowa and would like to have a talk with you before you take out life insurance.

In the Equitable Life of Iowa you get as safe insurance as can be written at the lowest possible net cost to you.

## Fire Insurance.

We represent three strong old line companies and would appreciate your fire and tornado insurance.

## The Rhodes Land Co.

222½ North Main,  
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

The Best  
Book of  
The Year

When you stop to think about it, doesn't your Bank Book tell much of the story of your own life? You, who can read between its lines and analyze its figures, know the labor and sacrifice represented by each dollar deposited. Every entry is the happy ending of a thrilling chapter. Make your book grow—it is recording your history and telling the story of your success. If you have no Bank Book, bring in a deposit and get one.

Farmers Trust  
Company

"HOME OF SAVINGS"  
Maryville, - Missouri

## DARK DAYS COMING

With the shortening of the hours of daylight the strain upon the eyes becomes greater with its consequent effect upon the vision.

## Have your eyes examined NOW.

Those just bordering upon the time when they need glasses will do well to attend to it at once, while those already wearing them should see to it that they still fit as they ought to. Good eyesight can be fostered just as you can preserve anything else with proper care.

## COME IN NOW

Raines Brothers  
Opticians and Jewelers  
212 N. 2nd St. "CITY OF THE FUTURE"

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbons. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for 80 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.  
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

## QUALITY WORKMANSHIP.

We give you the best in cleaning and repairing, also pressing. Telephone us. We will call for your work.

Van Steenberg &amp; Son

## Abstracts Of Title

Are necessary when you buy or sell, borrow or lend money on real property in Nodaway County.

We give the best of service in furnishing Abstracts of Title, embodying reliability, accuracy and promptness; the benefit of years of experience and modern methods.

The First Abstract Office, Referring To

## The Sisson Loan &amp; Title Company

Business Established 1865

All 'phones

Maryville

Fresh Cut  
Roses

Carnations, Narcissus, Sweet Peas, Violets, Etc. Beautiful blooming Cyclamen, Azallias, Primroses, Boston Ferns and Asparagus Ferns. Visitors are welcome at all times to go through our establishment and see the flowers and plants growing.

The Engelmann  
Greenhouses

Phone 17. 1001 South Main St.

## WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more, one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

SHOWCASES FOR SALE—in Good shape. See H. T. Crane. 9-17

WANTED—Second cook. Call at Ream hotel. 12

FOR SALE—Ithaca gun, almost new. Inquire room 3, Martin flats. 9-12

LOST—A cameo pin in business section of town. Return to this office. 10-13

LOST—A cattle whip, between K. C. depot and Craig farm. A reward. Thos. Farrell, Parnell. 10-13

LOST—Female collie dog. Finder return to Mark Hannah and receive reward. 12-13

LOST—Gold screw earrings, opal setting, on South Buchanan street. Reward. Return to this office. 12-17

FOR SALE—R. C. R. I. Red cockerels, Mammoth Brown turkeys, prize winning stock. Mrs. Fred Miller, Guilford, Mo. 8-14

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, with or without light housekeeping. 304 West Third street. Phone 485. 10-13

WE ARE PREPARED to take care of your plumbing at once. Our work guaranteed to satisfy. Standard Plumbing Co.

QUALITY COUNTS—We sell gang plows with extra shares at \$50.00. Don't hurry, but don't forget "Of course," Holt for High Prices.

ADVANTAGES—We have them here. Good workmanship and expert tailors at Becker's, "The Clothes Doctor," 209½ North Main.

SEED CORN FOR SALE—Boone County White, tests 95 per cent. Hubert S. Corken, route 4, Burlington Junction. 2-17

FOR SALE—Alfalfa seed, re-cleaned, grown on my farm, two miles east of Maryville. Price, \$10 for 60 pounds net, sacks free. Elmer Fraser, Hanamo 734; Farmers 203.

FOR SALE—Perfectly white diamond, mounted in 14k plain Tiffany mounting, size 5-8 1-16 1-32. Bargain. \$125.00.

Perfectly white diamond, mounted in 14k plain Tiffany mounting, size 7-8 1-32. Bargain, \$168.00. Raines Bros. 19-17

FOR SALE—Two good properties, one a 35-acre farm just south of Main street one-quarter mile. This is a dandy little farm. Other is situated on East Fifth street, Maryville, Mo., consisting of 4 acres ground, modern 9-room house, barn, etc. Want to sell by first of March. See me at farm, south of town, or call 45-12 Farmers phone or 6275 Hanamo. Henry Cook, Maryville, Mo. 6-19

Rose Comb White Wyandottes. Cocks or cockerels for sale. Won first premium on cockerels, first on pen and second on third on pullets at Maryville poultry show last fall. Prices reasonable. Eggs for hatching in season. O. F. Pugley, proprietor.

SNOWDROP-POULTRY YARDS  
Route 2, Ravenwood, Mo.

TWENTY choice cockerels for sale from my "bred-to-lay" Sunnyside White Rocks, \$1.00 each for quick sale. Mrs. Claude Moore, route 6, Maryville, Mo. Farmers phone 30-14.

## WYOMING LANDS FOR SALE.

Samples of grain on exhibition at my office, with S. R. Lucas, 210 North Main street. I also have Nodaway county farms and Maryville city property for sale. J. W. RAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Griffith of Southey, Canada, who have been visiting the McDermott, Fanning and Fogan families, east of Maryville, went to Bolckow Saturday evening to visit J. D. Fanning. They were accompanied by Miss Pearl Fanning.

## Your Income-Tax

If you were to be taxed \$1.00 a week on your income, you would call it "unjust." But you would have the tax to pay, and you would continue to enjoy life, though the dollar-a-week were gone forever. By taxing yourself this amount and depositing it regularly in our savings department you not only retain control and possession of what you save, but you also receive 4 per cent interest on your account in our savings department. This is compounded twice each year.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

TO THE INSURING PUBLIC—I want to say in grateful acknowledgment that the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has been most warmly received and patronized by leading people of both Maryville and Nodaway County. This fact has actuated my remaining in Maryville much longer than I intended, and constrains me to desire to meet all the people and explain the great merits of The Northwestern Mutual Life over other insurance companies. I shall be pleased to meet any one insurable between ages of 16 and 60. Thanking all those who have so liberally patronized the company, and soliciting your further esteemed business, I am,

Very truly,

FRED J. GOULD, Gen. Dist. Manager  
For N. W. M. Life Ins. Co. Linville Hotel

P. S.—I shall be glad to produce in these columns later the 1913 statement of the Northwestern Mutual Life so soon as received from the company. F. J. G.

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